

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND BUILDING STAFF REPORT

Tentative Notice of Action

MEETING DATE March 17, 2006 LOCAL EFFECTIVE DATE March 31, 2006 APPROX FINAL EFFECTIVE CONTACT/PHONE Ryan Hostetter 788-2351

APPLICANT David & Amy Marshall FILE NO. DRC2005-00059

DATE April 21, 2006

SUBJECT

Request by David Marshall for a Minor Use Permit/Coastal Development Permit to allow an approximately 1,873 square foot addition to the existing 1,860 square foot single family residence. The addition will include 872 square feet of garage space, and 1,001 square feet of living area which includes a new master bedroom, bathroom, storage areas, entry area, and additional kitchen area. The project will result in the disturbance of approximately 1,675 of a 7,440 square foot parcel. The proposed project is within the Residential Single Family land use category and is located at 2401 Windsor Blvd. in the community of Cambria. The site is in the North Coast planning area.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

- Adopt the Negative Declaration in accordance with the applicable provisions of the California 1. Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.
- Approve Minor Use Permit DRC2005-00059 based on the findings listed in Exhibit A and the conditions 2. listed in Exhibit B

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

The Environmental Coordinator, after completion of the initial study, finds that there is no substantial evidence that the project may have a significant effect on the environment, and the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report is not necessary. Therefore, a Mitigated Negative Declaration (pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq., and CA Code of Regulations Section 15000 et seq.) has been issued on January 26th for this project. Mitigation measures are proposed to address Cultural Resources and are included as conditions of approval.

LAND USE CATEGORY Residential Single Family	oombiiiii obbookiiiii	, 1002000111 / 111022 11101112	SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) 2
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PLANNING AREA STANDARDS:

Setbacks, Height, Footprint and Gross Structural Area Limitations

Does the project meet applicable Planning Area Standards: Yes - see discussion

AND USE ORDINANCE STANDARDS:

Local Coastal Program and Archaeologically Sensitive Area

Does the project conform to the Land Use Ordinance Standards: Yes - see discussion

FINAL ACTION

This tentative decision will become the final action on the project, unless the tentative decision is changed as a result of information obtained at the administrative hearing or is appealed to the County Board of Supervisors pursuant Section 23.01.042 of the Coastal Zone Land Use Ordinance; effective on the 10th working day after the receipt of the final action by the California Coastal Commission. The tentative decision will be transferred to the Coastal Commission following the required 14 calendar day local appeal period after the administrative hearing.

The applicant is encouraged to call the Central Coast District Office of the Coastal Commission in Santa Cruz at (831) 427-4863 to verify the date of final action. The County will not issue any construction permits prior to the end of the Coastal Commission process.

EXISTING USES: Residential Single Family	
SURROUNDING LAND USE CATEGORIES AND USES: North: Residential Single Family/residential South: Residential Single Family/residential	East: Residential Single Family/residential West: Residential Single Family/residential
OTHER AGENCY / ADVISORY GROUP INVOLVEMENT: The project was referred to: North Coast Adviso District, Building Division and the California Coa	ory Council, Public Works, Cambria Community Services
тородкарну: Nearly level to slightly sloping (approx 6%)	VEGETATION: Grasses, forbs, and Monterey pine trees
PROPOSED SERVICES: Water supply: CCSD Sewage Disposal: CCSD Fire Protection: Cambria Fire	ACCEPTANCE DATE: October 28, 2005

PLANNING AREA STANDARDS:

Lot Size: 7,440

Triple, Marine Terrace

Oversized lot adjustment: 1.42

Slope: approx 6%

Number of trees to be removed: 0

Base: 1.650 sq ft footprint, 2,450 sq ft GSA

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ALLOWABLE	PROPOSED	STATUS			
1,650 x 1.42 = 2,338	2,396	OK w/ 58 TDC's			
2,450 x 1.42 = 3,472	3,733	OK w/ 261 TDC's			
701	495	ОК			
234	0	ОК			
22'	22'	ОК			
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LAND USE ORDINANCE STANDARDS:

The project site is located within the California Coastal Zone as determined by the California Coastal Act of 1976 and is subject to the provisions of the Local Coastal Plan.

COASTAL PLAN POLICIES: This project is in compliance with the Coastal Plan Policies, the most relevant policies are discussed below.

Public Works:

Policy 1: Availability of Service Capacity applies to the project. The applicant has submitted a conditional confirmation letter of water and sewer availability which shows impact fees being paid for the proposed project.

Coastal Watersheds:

- Policy 7: Siting of new development: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because the proposed addition will be located on an existing lot of record in the Residential Single Family category and there is no area of the site with a slope of less than 20 percent.
- Policy 8: Timing of new construction: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because if grading is to occur or left unfinished between October 15 through April 15 the project is required to have an erosion and sedimentation control plan and all sedimentation and erosion control measures will be in place before the start of the rainy season.
- Policy 10: Drainage Provisions: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because the project is required to have a drainage plan that shows the construction of the addition will not increase erosion or runoff.

Hazards:

- Policy 1: New Development: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because it is located and designed to minimize risks to human life and property.
- Policy 2: Erosion and Geologic Stability: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because it is designed to ensure structural stability while not creating or contributing to erosion of geological instability.

Environmentally Sensitive Habitats:

- Policy 1: Land Uses Within or Adjacent to Environmentally Sensitive Habitats: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because it will not significantly disrupt the habitat and tree removal and site disturbance have been minimized. There is no tree removal proposed with this project.
- Policy 2: Permit Requirement: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because there will be no significant impact on sensitive habitats and proposed development will be consistent with the biological continuance of the habitat.
- Policy 3: Habitat Restoration: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because if removed, Monterey Pine trees will be replaced on a two-to-one basis and Coast Live Oak trees will be replaced on a four-to-one basis, however there is no tree removal proposed with this project.
- Policy 27: Protection of Terrestrial Habitats: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because the project does not propose to remove sensitive vegetation.
- Policy 28: Protection of Native Vegetation: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because tree removal and site disturbance have been minimized. If trees are removed,

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Monterey Pine trees will be replaced on a two-to-one basis and Coast Live Oak trees will be replaced on a four-to-one basis.

Policy 33: Protection of Vegetation: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because site disturbance have been minimized through project design.

Visual and Scenic Resources:

Policy 7: Preservation of Trees and Native Vegetation: The proposed project is consistent with this policy because disturbance has been minimized through project design.

Archaeology:

Policy 4: Preliminary Site Survey: The parcel is in an archeologically sensitive area. A Phase I survey was conducted on June 21st, 2005 (Parker and Associates), which showed potential significant resources. A Phase II archaeological survey was then conducted on December 9th, 2005 (Central Coast Archeology), which found no resources on the site, but recommends a monitor be on site during ground disturbing activities.

Does the project meet applicable Coastal Plan Policies: Yes, as conditioned.

COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUP COMMENTS:

Cambria Community Advisory – "No Comments"

AGENCY REVIEW:

County Public Works – Plans show existing and proposed improvements in road right-of-way. These may not be acceptable

Cambria Fire Dept – Please refer to fire plan review in file dated August 30, 2005 CA Coastal Commission – None.

The Land Conservancy – 261 TDC's have been reserved. See letter in file dated September 9, 2005

Cambria Community Services District – See letter in file dated 9/15/05 showing impact fees paid for proposed addition.

LEGAL LOT STATUS:

The lot was legally created by a recorded map at a time when that was a legal method of creating lots.

Staff report prepared by Ryan Hostetter and reviewed by Matt Janssen

EXHIBIT A - FINDINGS

Environmental Determination

A. The Environmental Coordinator, after completion of the initial study, finds that there is no substantial evidence that the project may have a significant effect on the environment, and the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report is not necessary. Therefore, a Mitigated Negative Declaration (pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq., and CA Code of Regulations Section 15000 et seq.) has been issued on December 29, 2005 for this project. Mitigation measures are proposed to address aesthetics, air quality, geology and soils, noise, public services/utilities, transportation/circulation, wastewater and water, and are included as conditions of approval.

Minor Use Permit

- B. The proposed project or use is consistent with the San Luis Obispo County General Plan because the use is an allowed use and as conditioned is consistent with all of the General Plan policies.
- C. As conditioned, the proposed project or use satisfies all applicable provisions of Title 23 of the County Code.
- D. The establishment and subsequent operation or conduct of the use will not, because of the circumstances and conditions applied in the particular case, be detrimental to the health, safety or welfare of the general public or persons residing or working in the neighborhood of the use, or be detrimental or injurious to property or improvements in the vicinity of the use because the project does not generate activity that presents a potential threat to the surrounding property and buildings. This project is subject to Ordinance and Building Code requirements designed to address health, safety and welfare concerns.
- E. The proposed project or use will not be inconsistent with the character of the immediate neighborhood or contrary to its orderly development because the project is similar to, and will not conflict with, the surrounding lands and uses.
- F. The proposed project or use will not generate a volume of traffic beyond the safe capacity of all roads providing access to the project, either existing or to be improved with the project because the project is located on a road constructed to a level able to handle any additional traffic associated with the project.

Coastal Access

G. The proposed use is in conformity with the public access and recreation policies of Chapter 3 of the California Coastal Act, because the project is not adjacent to the coast and the project will not inhibit access to the coastal waters and recreation areas.

Archaeology

H. The project design and development incorporates adequate measures to ensure protection of significant archaeological resources because the project includes monitoring by a qualified professional during ground disturbing activities.

TDC's

Adequate instruments have been executed to assure that lot(s) to be retired will remain in permanent open space and that no development will occur because the applicant will Planning Department Hearing DRC2005-00059 / Marshall Page 6

provide verification that the retired lot(s) have been transferred to the Land Conservancy of San Luis Obispo County.

- J. The "receiver" site can accommodate the proposed scale and intensity of development without the need for a variance (Section 23.01.045), exception to height limitations (Section 23.04.124b) or modification to parking standards (Section 23.04.162h), because, as conditioned, the project or use meets Coastal Zone Land Use Ordinance and Land Use Element requirements.
- K. The circumstances of the transfer are consistent with the purpose and intent of the applicable planning area programs and standards regarding transfer of development credits.

EXHIBIT B - CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Authorized Use

- 1. This approval authorizes the addition of 1,001 square feet of living area to the existing 1,860 square foot single family residence, and a new 872 square foot garage. The project will result in a site total of 2,396 square feet of footprint and 3,733 square feet of gross structural area on an approximately 7,440 square foot parcel.
- 2. All permits shall be consistent with *revised* Site Plan, Floor Plans, and Elevations which show no improvements located within the right of way.

Conditions to be completed prior to issuance of a construction or grading permit

Grading, Drainage, Sedimentation and Erosion Control

- 3. If grading is to occur between October 15 and April 15, a sedimentation and erosion control plan shall be submitted pursuant to Coastal Zone Land Use Ordinance Section 23.05.036.
- 4. The applicant shall submit a drainage plan for review and approval by the County Public Works Department.

Fire Safety

5. The applicant shall provide the county Department of Planning and Building with a fire safety plan approved by the Cambria Fire Department.

Cambria Community Services District

6. The applicant shall apply for a remodel of existing service and pay impact fees to the CCSD.

Landscape Plan

7. The applicant shall submit for Planning Director review and approval, a Landscape Plan that provides for the planting of all open areas of the site disturbed by project construction with native, drought and fire resistant species that are compatible with the habitat values of the surrounding forest. In addition, non-native, invasive, and water intensive (e.g. turf grass) landscaping shall be prohibited on the entire site.

Cultural Resources

- 8. Prior to issuance of construction permits, the applicant shall submit a monitoring plan prepared by a subsurface qualified archaeologist (see attached list), for the review and approval of the Environmental Coordinator. The monitoring plan shall include:
 - List of personnel involved in the monitoring activities (i.e. who will perform the monitoring);
 - b. Description of how the monitoring shall occur (i.e. during first ground disturbing activities);

- c. Description of frequency of monitoring (e.g. part time or just during initial excavating activities);
- d. Description of what resources are expected to be encountered;
- e. Description of circumstances that would result in the halting of work at the project site (e.g. What is considered "significant" archaeological resources?);
- f. Description of procedures for halting work on the site and notification procedures;
- g. Description of monitoring reporting procedures.

Conditions applicable throughout project construction

Building Height

- 9. The maximum height of the project is 22 feet (as measured from average natural grade).
 - A. **Prior to any construction**, a licensed surveyor or registered civil engineer shall first file with the Building Official certification of compliance with the flood hazard elevation requirements, and shall then stake the lot corners, building corners, and establish average finished grade and set a reference point (benchmark).
 - B. **Prior to approval of the foundation inspection,** the benchmark shall be inspected by a building inspector prior to pouring footings or retaining walls, as an added precaution.
 - C. **Prior to approval of the roof-nailing inspection**, the applicant shall provide the building inspector with documentation that gives the height reference, the allowable height and the actual height of the structure. This certification shall be prepared by a licensed surveyor or civil engineer. Grading, Drainage, Sedimentation and Erosion Control
- 10. All runoff from impervious surfaces such as roofs, driveways, walks, patios, decks, shall be collected and detained on-site, or passed on through an effective erosion control devise or drainage system approved by the County Engineer.
- 11. Permanent erosion control devices shall be installed prior to or concurrently with on-site grading activities.
- 12. Grading, filling or site disturbance of existing soil and vegetation shall be limited to the minimum areas necessary.
- 13. Stockpiles and other disturbed soils shall be protected from rain and erosion by plastic sheets or other covering.
- 14. All areas disturbed by grading activities shall be revegetated with temporary or permanent erosion control devices in place.
- The archaeological monitor is required to be on site during the first ground disturbing activities (i.e. excavation for foundation (or footings). If the monitor finds no resources during these first ground disturbing activities, and finds that the project will not impact any resources, the monitor can leave the project site.

Transfer of Development Credits

16. The applicant shall provide written verification from the Land Conservancy of San Luis Obispo County that 261 square feet of Gross Structural Area has been transferred from a parcel within a special project area to the subject property.

Conditions to be completed prior to occupancy or final building inspection /establishment of the use

Fire Safety

17. **Prior to occupancy or final inspection,** which ever occurs first, the applicant shall obtain final inspection and approval from Cambria Fire Department of all required fire/life safety measures.

Cambria Community Services District

18. Applicant shall submit for final plumbing inspection upon completion of the project.

Miscellaneous

- 19. **Prior to occupancy of any structure associated with this approval,** the applicant shall contact the Department of Planning and Building to have the site inspected for compliance with the conditions of this approval.
- 20. This permit is valid for a period of 24 months from its effective date unless time extensions are granted pursuant to Land Use Ordinance Section 23.02.050. This permit is generally considered to be vested once a building permit has been issued and substantial site work has been completed. Substantial site work is defined (Section 23.02.042) as site work progressed beyond grading and completion of structural foundations; and construction is occurring above grade ('sticks in the air').
- 21. All conditions of this approval shall be strictly adhered to, within the time frames specified, and in an on-going manner for the life of the project. Failure to comply with these conditions of approval may result in an immediate enforcement action by the Department of Planning and Building. If it is determined that violation(s) of these conditions of approval have occurred or are occurring, this approval may be revoked pursuant to Section 23.10.160 of the Coastal Zone Land Use Ordinance.



COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY (RH)

MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION & NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

ENVIRONMEI	NTAL DETE	RMINATION NO. <u>ED05</u>	-172	DATE: January 26, 2006
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COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO INITIAL STUDY SUMMARY - ENVIRONMENTAL CHECKLIST

Project Title & No. Marshall Minor Use Permit DRC2005-00059 ED 05-172

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: The proposed project could have a "Potentially Significant Impact" for at least one of the environmental factors checked below. Please refer to the attached pages for discussion on mitigation measures or project revisions to either reduce these impacts to less than significant levels or require further study.						
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Project Environmental Analysis

The County's environmental review process incorporates all of the requirements for completing the Initial Study as required by the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines. The Initial Study includes staff's on-site inspection of the project site and surroundings and a detailed review of the information in the file for the project. In addition, available background information is reviewed for each project. Relevant information regarding soil types and characteristics, geologic information, significant vegetation and/or wildlife resources, water availability, wastewater disposal services, existing land uses and surrounding land use categories and other information relevant to the environmental review process are evaluated for each project. Exhibit A includes the references used, as well as the agencies or groups that were contacted as a part of the Initial Study. The Environmental Division uses the checklist to summarize the results of the research accomplished during the initial environmental review of the project.

Persons, agencies or organizations interested in obtaining more information regarding the environmental review process for a project should contact the County of San Luis Obispo Environmental Division, Rm. 310, County Government Center, San Luis Obispo, CA, 93408-2040 or call (805) 781-5600.

A. PROJECT

DESCRIPTION: Request by David Marshall for a Minor Use Permit/Coastal Development Permit to allow an approximately 1,873 square foot addition to the existing 1,860 square foot single family residence. The addition will include 872 square feet of garage space, and 1,001 square feet of living area which includes a new master bedroom, bathroom, storage areas, entry area, and additional kitchen area. The project will result in the disturbance of approximately 1,675 of a 7,440 square foot parcel. The proposed project is within the Residential Single Family land use category and is located on the northwest portion of the intersection of Castle St. and Windsor Blvd. (at 2401 Windsor Blvd.) in the community of Cambria. The site is in the North Coast planning area.

ASSESSOR PARCEL NUMBER(S): 023-014-014, 011 & 013

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT # 1

B. EXISTING SETTING

PLANNING AREA:

North Coast, Cambria

LAND USE CATEGORY:

Residential Single Family

COMBINING DESIGNATION(S):

Local Coastal Plan/Program

EXISTING USES:

Residence

TOPOGRAPHY:

Nearly level

VEGETATION:

Grasses, ornamentals, and one pine tree

PARCEL SIZE:

7,440 square feet

SURROUNDING LAND USE CATEGORIES AND USES:

North: Residential Single Family; residential	East: Residential Single Family; residential
South: Residential Single Family; residential	West: Residential Single Family; residential

C. ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

During the Initial Study process, several issues were identified as having potentially significant environmental effects (see following Initial Study). Those potentially significant items associated with the proposed uses can be minimized to less than significant levels.

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO INITIAL STUDY CHECKLIST

1.	AESTHETICS - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable	
a)	Create an aesthetically incompatible site open to public view?			\boxtimes		
b)	Introduce a use within a scenic view open to public view?			\boxtimes		
c)	Change the visual character of an area?			\boxtimes		
d)	Create glare or night lighting, which may affect surrounding areas?			\boxtimes		
e)	Impact unique geological or physical features?			\boxtimes		
f)	Other:					
neigh Impa	uses because this project is an addition to an existing residence in a developed residential neighborhood. Impact. No significant visual impacts are expected to occur. Mitigation/Conclusion. No mitigation measures are necessary.					
2. <i>A</i>	AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable	
a)	Convert prime agricultural land to non-agricultural use?			\boxtimes		
b)	Impair agricultural use of other property or result in conversion to other uses?					
c)	Conflict with existing zoning or Williamson Act program?			\boxtimes		

2.	AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable	
d)	Other:					
Res	Setting. The soil types include: Concepcion loam, (2 - 5 % slope). As described in the Natural Resource Conservation Service Soil Survey, the "non-irrigated" soil class is "III", and the "irrigated" soil class is "III".					
occ	pact. The project is located in a predomina urring on the property or immediate vicinity cipated.					
Miti	igation/Conclusion. No mitigation measure	es are necessa	ary.			
3.	AIR QUALITY - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable	
a)	Violate any state or federal ambient air quality standard, or exceed air quality emission thresholds as established by County Air Pollution Control District?					
b)	Expose any sensitive receptor to substantial air pollutant concentrations?					
c)	Create or subject individuals to objectionable odors?			\boxtimes		
d)	Be inconsistent with the District's Clean Air Plan?			\boxtimes		
e)	Other:					

Setting. The Air Pollution Control District (APCD) has developed the CEQA Air Quality Handbook to evaluate project specific impacts and help determine if air quality mitigation measures are needed, or if potentially significant impacts could result. To evaluate long-term emissions, cumulative effects, and establish countywide programs to reach acceptable air quality levels, a Clean Air Plan has been adopted (prepared by APCD).

Impact. As proposed, the project will result in the disturbance of approximately 1,675 square feet. This will result in the creation of construction dust, as well as short- and long-term vehicle emissions. Based on Table 1-1 of the CEQA Air Quality Handbook, the project will result in less than 10 lbs./day of pollutants, which is below thresholds warranting any mitigation. The project is consistent with the general level of development anticipated and projected in the Clean Air Plan. No significant air quality impacts are expected to occur.

Mitigation/Conclusion. No mitigation measures are necessary.

4.	BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Result in a loss of unique or special status species or their habitats?				
b)	Reduce the extent, diversity or quality of native or other important vegetation?				
c)	Impact wetland or riparian habitat?			\boxtimes	
d)	Introduce barriers to movement of resident or migratory fish or wildlife species, or factors, which could hinder the normal activities of wildlife?				
e)	Other:				

Setting. The following habitats were observed on the proposed project: Grasses , monterey pines Based on the latest California Diversity database and other biological references, the following species or sensitive habitats were identified:

Plants: Most beautiful jewel-flower (Streptanthus albidus peramoenus) List 1B; Hoover's button-celery (Eryngium aristulatum hooveri) List 1B; Santa Lucia bush mallow (Malacothamnus palmeri palmeri) List 1B; Compact cobwebby thistle (Cirsium occidentale var. compactum) List 1B; Monterey pine (Pinus radiate) List 1B app. 0.2 miles east an 0.6 miles north of the property; Cambria morning glory (Calystegia subacaulis ssp. episcopalism) List 1B app. 0.8 miles northeast of the property; Arroyo de la Cruz manzanita (Arctostaphylos cruzensis) List 1B app. 0.8 miles northeast of the property;

Wildlife: Monarch butterfly (Danaus plexippus) app. 0.3 miles north of the property; South/Central Coast Steelhead Trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss) FT app. 1.0 mile north of the property; Tidewater goby (Eucyclogobius newberryi) FE app. 1.0 mile north of the property; Southwestern pond turtle (Emys (=Clemmys) marmorata pallida) app. 1.0 mile north of the property; California red-legged frog (Rana aurora draytonii) FT app. 1.0 mile north of the property

KEY: FE-Federally Endangered; PFE-Proposed Listing-Federally Endangered; FT-Federally Threatened; PFT-Proposed listing-Federally Threatened; FC-Federal Candidate; FSC-Federal Species of Concern (no longer used); FD - Federally delisted SE-State Endangered; SCE-State Endangered Candidate for listing; ST-State Threatened; SCT-State Threatened Candidate for listing; SR-State Rare; CSC- CA Special Concern Species; FP-CDFG Fully Protected; List 1A-CNPS Presumed extinct in CA; List 1B-CNPS Rare or Endangered in CA & elsewhere; List 2-CNPS Rare or Endangered in CA, but common elsewhere; List 3-CNPS Plants needing more info (Review List); List 4-CNPS Plants of limited distribution (Watch List).

Habitats: Monterey Pine Forest app. 0.6 miles southeast of the property; potential California redlegged frog (Rana aurora draytonii) FT habitat app. 0.4 miles southeast of the property

Impact. The project site contains a single pine tree which will not be impacted with this proposed project. The site is located in an entirely developed residential neighborhood, and the project as proposed will not impact any native or special status species of any kind.

Mitigation/Conclusion. No significant biological impacts are expected to occur, and no mitigation

measures are necessary.

5.	CULTURAL RESOURCES - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable		
a)	Disturb pre-historic resources?		\boxtimes				
b)	Disturb historic resources?			\boxtimes			
c)	Disturb paleontological resources?			\boxtimes			
d)	Other:	. 🗌					
Obis	Setting. The project is located in an area historically occupied by the Obispeno Chumash and Salinan. No historic structures are present and no paleontological resources are known to exist in the area.						
whicl cond	nct. A Phase I (surface) survey was con in showed potential significant resources of ucted by Central Coast Archaeology of urces, but recommends a monitor be on sit	on the site. A	Phase II (sub 19, 2005 whi	-surface survey ch showed no	/) was then		
	ration/Conclusion. Mitigation measure ficant cultural resources.	s are propose	ed to mitigate	e any potential	impact to		
6.	GEOLOGY AND SOILS - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable		
a)	Result in exposure to or production of unstable earth conditions, such as landslides, earthquakes, liquefaction, ground failure, land subsidence or other similar hazards?						
b)	Be within a California Geological Survey "Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zone"?						
c)	Result in soil erosion, topographic changes, loss of topsoil or unstable soil conditions from project-related improvements, such as vegetation removal, grading, excavation, or fill?						
d)	Change rates of soil absorption, or amount or direction of surface runoff?						
e)	Include structures located on expansive soils?						

6.	GEOLOGY AND SOILS - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
f)	Change the drainage patterns where substantial on- or off-site sedimentation/ erosion or flooding may occur?				
g)	Involve activities within the 100-year flood zone?				
h)	Be inconsistent with the goals and policies of the County's Safety Element relating to Geologic and Seismic Hazards?				
i)	Preclude the future extraction of valuable mineral resources?			\boxtimes	
<i>j)</i>	Other:				

Setting. GEOLOGY - The topography of the project is nearly level. The area proposed for development is outside of the Geologic Study Area designation. The landslide risk potential is considered low. The liquefaction potential during a ground-shaking event is considered moderate. Active faulting is known to exist on or near the subject property (app. 3.2 miles to the southwest). The project is not within a known area containing serpentine or ultramafic rock or soils.

Any project within the Geologic Study area designation or within a high liquefaction area is subject to the preparation of a geological report per the Coastal Zone Land Use Ordinance (CZLUO) section 23.07.080 to evaluate the area's geological stability relating to the proposed use.

DRAINAGE – The area proposed for development is outside the 100-year Flood Hazard designation. The closest creek (an unnamed stream) from the proposed development is approximately 0.36 miles to the southeast. As described in the Natural Resource Conservation Service Soil Survey, the soil is considered very poorly drained. For areas where drainage is identified as a potential issue, the CZLUO (Sec. 23.05.042) includes a provision to prepare a drainage plan to minimize potential drainage impacts. When required, this plan would need to address measures such as: constructing on-site retention or detention basins, or installing surface water flow dissipaters. This plan would also need to show that the increased surface runoff would have no more impacts than that caused by historic flows.

SEDIMENTATION AND EROSION – The soil types include: Concepcion loam, (2 - 5 % slope). As described in the NRCS Soil Survey, the soil surface is considered to have moderate erodibility and low to high shrink-swell characteristics.

When highly erosive conditions exist, a sedimentation and erosion control plan is required (CZLUO Sec. 23.05.036) to minimize these impacts. When required, the plan is prepared by a civil engineer to address both temporary and long-term sedimentation and erosion impacts. Projects involving more than one acre of disturbance are subject to the preparation of a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP), which focuses on controlling storm water runoff. The Regional Water Quality Control Board is the local extension who monitors this program.

Impact. As proposed, the project will result in the disturbance of approximately 1,675 square feet.

Mitigation/Conclusion. There is no evidence that measures above what will already be required by ordinance or codes are needed.

7.	HAZARDS & HAZARDOUS MATERIALS - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Result in a risk of explosion or release of hazardous substances (e.g. oil, pesticides, chemicals, radiation) or exposure of people to hazardous substances?				
b)	Interfere with an emergency response or evacuation plan?			\boxtimes	
c)	Expose people to safety risk associated with airport flight pattern?				
ď)	Increase fire hazard risk or expose people or structures to high fire hazard conditions?				
e)	Create any other health hazard or potential hazard?			\boxtimes	
f)	Other:	- 🗌			
proje Impa a sig Mitig	ing. The project is not located in an areact is not within a high severity risk area for act. The project does not propose the use inificant fire safety risk. The project is not equation/Conclusion. No significant impactionated, and no mitigation measures are negation.	fire. The project of hazardous expected to corects as a result	ect is not within materials. The offict with any re	the Airport Reversity project does regional evacua	view area. not present tion plan.
8.	NOISE - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Expose people to noise levels that exceed the County Noise Element thresholds?				
b)	Generate increases in the ambient noise levels for adjoining areas?				
c)	Expose people to severe noise or vibration?			\boxtimes	

8.	NOISE - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable		
			mitigated				
d)	Other:						
sensi gene acce _l	Setting. The project is not within close proximity of loud noise sources, and will not conflict with any sensitive noise receptors (e.g., residences). Based on the Noise Element's projected future noise generation from known stationary and vehicle-generated noise sources, the project is within an acceptable threshold area.						
ımpa	ct. The project is not expected to generat	e ioud noises, r	or conflict with	ı tne surroundi	ng uses.		
_	ation/Conclusion. No significant noise in ssary.	npacts are antid	cipated, and no	o mitigation me	asures are		
9.	POPULATION/HOUSING - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable		
a)	Induce substantial growth in an area either directly or indirectly (e.g., through projects in an undeveloped area or extension of major infrastructure)?						
b)	Displace existing housing or people, requiring construction of replacement housing elsewhere?			\boxtimes			
c)	Create the need for substantial new housing in the area?			\boxtimes			
d)	Use substantial amount of fuel or energy?			\boxtimes			
e)	Other:						

Setting. In its efforts to provide for affordable housing, the county currently administers the Home Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program and the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program, which provides limited financing to projects relating to affordable housing throughout the county.

Impact. The project will not result in a need for a significant amount of new housing, and will not displace existing housing.

Mitigation/Conclusion. No significant population and housing impacts are anticipated, and no mitigation measures are necessary.

10.	PUBLIC SERVICES/UTILITIES - Will the project have an effect upon, or result in the need for new or altered public services in any of the following areas:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Fire protection?			\boxtimes	
b)	Police protection (e.g., Sheriff, CHP)?			\boxtimes	
c)	Schools?			\boxtimes	
d)	Roads?			\boxtimes	
e)	Solid Wastes?			\boxtimes	
f)	Other public facilities?			\boxtimes	
g)	Other:				
Setting. The project area is served by the County Sheriff's Department and Cambria Fire as the primary emergency responders. The closest fire station (Cambria Fire station 10) is approximately 3.44 miles to the north. The closest Sheriff substation is in Los Osos, which is approximately 30 miles South of the proposed project. The project is located in the Coast Unified School District. Impact. No significant project-specific impacts to utilities or public services were identified. This project includes an addition to an existing residence with existing services and utilities. The addition to this home will not increase the need for services/utilities on this property. Mitigation/Conclusion. No significant public services/utilities impacts are anticipated, and no mitigation measures are necessary.					
11.	RECREATION - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Increase the use or demand for parks or other recreation opportunities?			\boxtimes	
b)	Affect the access to trails, parks or other recreation opportunities?			\boxtimes	
c)	Other				
Setting. The County Trails Plan does not show that a potential trail goes through the proposed project. The project is not proposed in a location that will affect any trail, park or other recreational resource. Impact. The proposed project will not create a significant need for additional park or recreational					
resources.					
Mitigation/Conclusion . No significant recreation impacts are anticipated, and no mitigation measures are necessary.					

12.	TRANSPORTATION/ CIRCULATION - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Increase vehicle trips to local or areawide circulation system?			\boxtimes	
b)	Reduce existing "Levels of Service" on public roadway(s)?			\boxtimes	
c)	Create unsafe conditions on public roadways (e.g., limited access, design features, sight distance, slow vehicles)?				
d)	Provide for adequate emergency access?			\boxtimes	
e)	Result in inadequate parking capacity?			\boxtimes	
f)	Result in inadequate internal traffic circulation?			\boxtimes	
g)	Conflict with adopted policies, plans, or programs supporting alternative transportation (e.g., pedestrian access, bus turnouts, bicycle racks, etc.)?				
h)	Result in a change in air traffic patterns that may result in substantial safety risks?			\boxtimes	
i)	Other:				
	ng. Future development will access on fied roadway is operating at acceptable I gnificant traffic-related concerns were iden	evels. Referr	.	· /	
lmpa	ct. The proposed project is not estimated	to increase ve	hicle trips from	the existing re	sidence.
_	ation/Conclusion. No significant traffic in ssary.	npacts were id	lentified, and n	o mitigation me	asures are
13.	WASTEWATER - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Violate waste discharge requirements or Central Coast Basin Plan criteria for wastewater systems?				

13.	WASTEWATER - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable	
b)	Change the quality of surface or ground water (e.g., nitrogen-loading, daylighting)?					
c)	Adversely affect community wastewater service provider?			\boxtimes		
d)	Other:					
Setting. The project will be served by, Cambria CSD for wastewater disposal. This system is currently operating at acceptable levels and the system has the capacity to support existing commitments in addition to the proposed project. Impact. The proposed community system has the capacity to handle the project's additional effluent. The applicant has provided a letter from the Cambria Community Services District showing impact fees for additional water fixtures and confirmation of sewer service (letter from CCSD dated 9/15/05 in						
file).			·			
Mitigation/Conclusion . Given that the system is currently operating at acceptable levels and that it has the capacity to support existing commitments in addition to the proposed project, no mitigation measures are necessary.						
14.	WATER - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable	
a)	Violate any water quality standards?			\boxtimes		
b)	Discharge into surface waters or otherwise alter surface water quality (e.g., turbidity, temperature, dissolved oxygen, etc.)?					
c)	Change the quality of groundwater (e.g., saltwater intrusion, nitrogenloading, etc.)?					
d)	Change the quantity or movement of available surface or ground water?			\boxtimes		
e)	Adversely affect community water service provider?			\boxtimes		
f)	Other:					

The topography of the project is nearly level
The closest creek (an unnamed stream) from the

Setting. The project proposes to use a community system (Cambria CSD) as its water source.

proposed development is approximately 0.35 miles away. As described in the NRCS Soil Survey, the soil surface is considered to have moderate erodibility.

Projects involving more than one acre of disturbance are subject to preparing a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) to minimize on-site sedimentation and erosion. When work is done in the rainy season, the County Ordinance requires that temporary sedimentation and erosion control measures be installed during the rainy season.

Impact. On water use, based on the project description, the addition will not increase water usage from the existing residence. Water fixtures will be added with the new proposed master bathroom, however the project description does not include growth inducing impacts on the site, and no additional water usage is expected to occur.

Regarding surface water quality, as proposed, the project will result in the disturbance of approximately 1,675 square feet. The project is not within close proximity to surface water sources.

Mitigation/Conclusion. Since no potentially significant water quantity or quality impacts were identified, no specific measures above standard requirements have been determined necessary. Standard drainage and erosion control measures will be required for the proposed project and will provide sufficient measures to adequately protect surface water quality.

15.	LAND USE - Will the project:	Inconsistent	Potentially Inconsistent	Consistent	Not Applicable
a)	Be potentially inconsistent with land use, policy/regulation (e.g., general plan [county land use element and ordinance], local coastal plan, specific plan, Clean Air Plan, etc.) adopted to avoid or mitigate for environmental effects?				
b)	Be potentially inconsistent with any habitat or community conservation plan?			\boxtimes	
c)	Be potentially inconsistent with adopted agency environmental plans or policies with jurisdiction over the project?				
d)	Be potentially incompatible with surrounding land uses?			\boxtimes	
e)	Other:				

Setting/Impact. Surrounding uses are identified on Page 2 of the Initial Study. The proposed project was reviewed for consistency with policy and/or regulatory documents relating to the environment and appropriate land use (e.g., County Land Use Ordinance, Local Coastal Plan, etc.). Referrals were sent to outside agencies to review for policy consistencies (e.g., CDF for Fire Code, APCD for Clean Air Plan, etc.). The project was found to be consistent with these documents.

The project is not within or adjacent to a Habitat Conservation Plan area. The project is consistent or

compatible with the surrounding uses as summarized on page 2 of this Initial Study.

Mitigation/Conclusion. No inconsistencies were identified and therefore no additional measures above what will already be required was determined necessary.

16.	MANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE - Will the project:	Potentially Significant	Impact can & will be mitigated	Insignificant Impact	Not Applicable
a)	Have the potential to degrade the quality habitat of a fish or wildlife species, causustaining levels, threaten to eliminate or restrict the range of a rare or endangements of the major periods of	use a fish or w e a plant or an	wildlife popula nimal commun	ntion to drop b nity, reduce the	elow self- e number
	California history or prehistory?			\boxtimes	
b)	Have impacts that are individually limite considerable? ("Cumulatively considerincremental effects of a project are conconnection with the effects of past procurrent projects, and the effects of probable future projects)	erable" means nsiderable wh	s that the hen viewed in	\bowtie	
c)	Have environmental effects which will adverse effects on human beings, eithe indirectly?		ntial		
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Exhibit A - Initial Study References and Agency Contacts

The County Planning or Environmental Division have contacted various agencies for their comments on the proposed project. With respect to the subject application, the following have been contacted (marked with an \boxtimes) and when a response was made, it is either attached or in the application file:

Cont	acted Agency	<u>Re</u>	sponse
\boxtimes	County Public Works Department	ln	File**
	County Environmental Health Division	No	t Applicable
	County Agricultural Commissioner's Office	No	t Applicable
	County Airport Manager	No	t Applicable
	Airport Land Use Commission	No	t Applicable
	Air Pollution Control District	No	ot Applicable
	County Sheriff's Department	No	ot Applicable
П	Regional Water Quality Control Board	No	ot Applicable
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	CA Coastal Commission	No	one
	CA Department of Fish and Game	No	ot Applicable
П	CA Department of Forestry	No	ot Applicable
П	CA Department of Transportation	No	ot Applicable
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	CambriaCommunity Service District	At	tached
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	Other Cambria Fire	In	File**
	Other	No	ot Applicable
	** "No comment" or "No concerns"-type response	es are ι	usually not attached
inforn	osed project and are hereby incorporated by renation is available at the County Planning and Bu	ilding D	epartment.
Coun	Project File for the Subject Application ty documents	\boxtimes	North Coast Area Plan and Update EIR
	Airport Land Use Plans	П	Circulation Study
\boxtimes	Annual Resource Summary Report	Oth	ner documents
	Building and Construction Ordinance	\boxtimes	Archaeological Resources Map
A	Coastal Policies Framework for Planning (Coastal & Inland)	\boxtimes	Area of Critical Concerns Map Areas of Special Biological
	General Plan (Inland & Coastal), including all	E4	Importance Map
_	maps & elements; more pertinent elements considered include:	\boxtimes	California Natural Species Diversity Database
	Agriculture & Open Space Element	\boxtimes	Clean Air Plan
		\boxtimes	Fire Hazard Severity Map
	Environment Plan (Conservation,		Flood Hazard Maps
	Historic and Esthetic Elements) Housing Element	×	Natural Resources Conservation Service Soil Survey for SLO County
	✓ Housing Element✓ Noise Element	\boxtimes	Regional Transportation Plan
	Parks & Recreation Element		Uniform Fire Code
	Safety Element	\boxtimes	Water Quality Control Plan (Central
Ä	Land Use Ordinance Real Property Division Ordinance	\boxtimes	Coast Basin – Region 3) GIS mapping layers (e.g., habitat,
Ħ	Trails Plan	لحا	streams, contours, etc.)
	Solid Waste Management Plan		Other

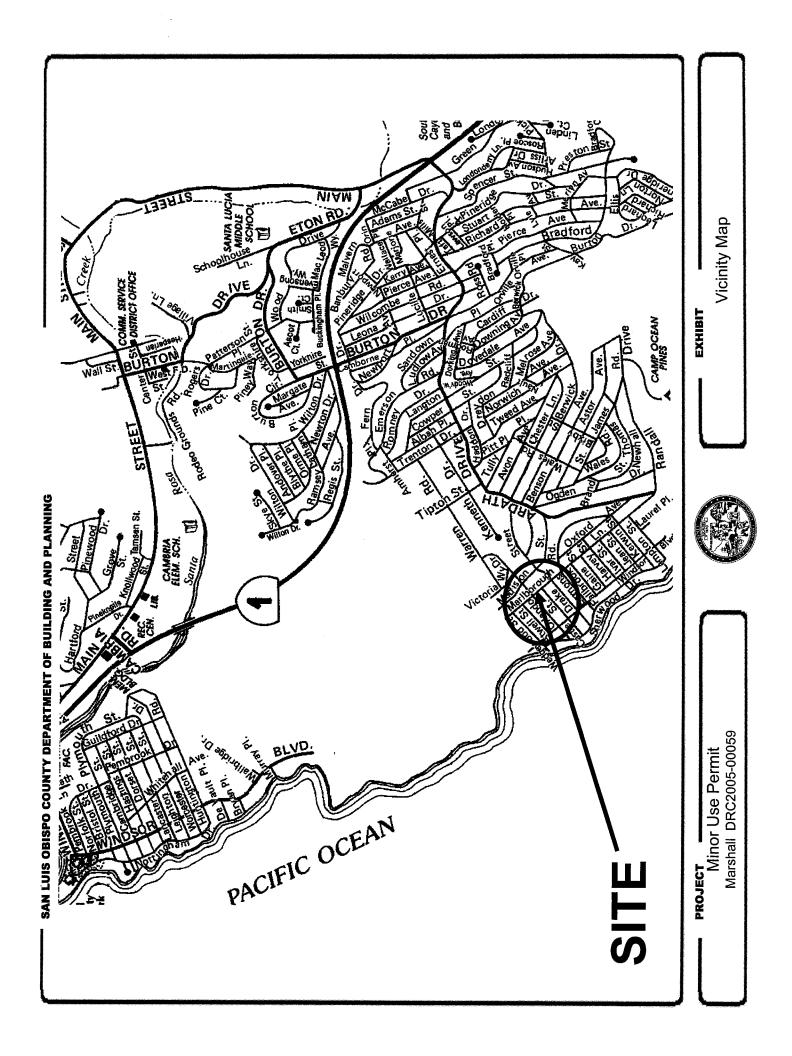
In addition, the following project specific information and/or reference materials have been considered as a part of the Initial Study:

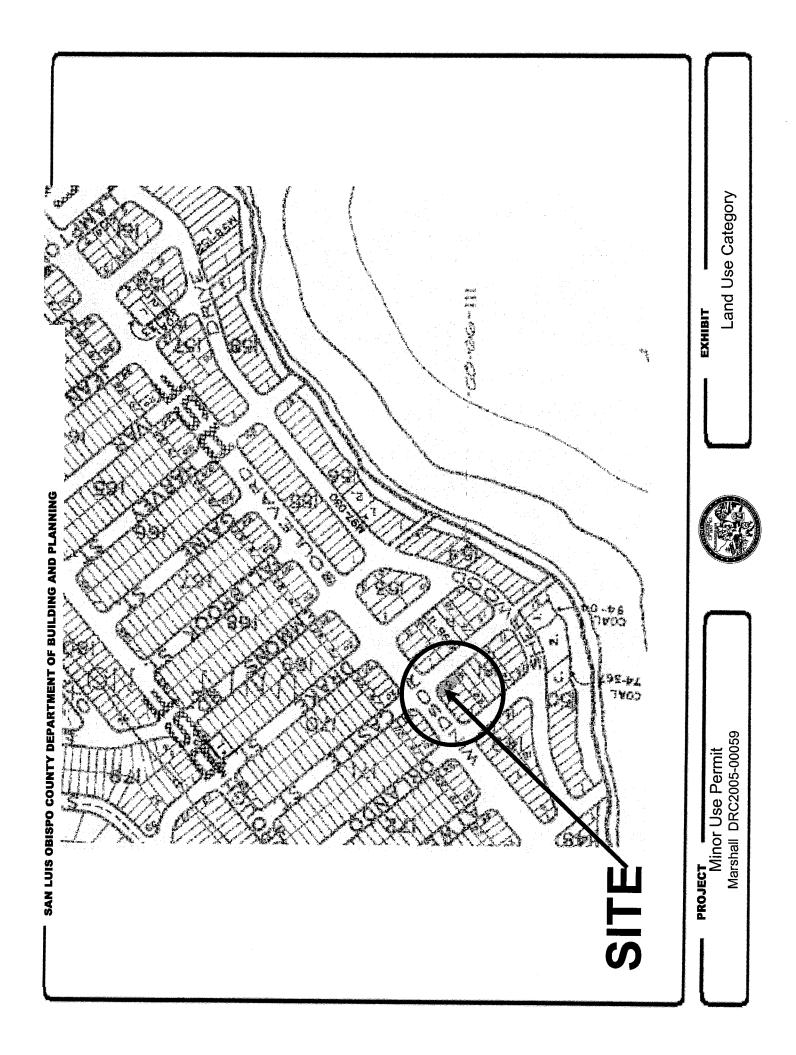
Phase I cultural resource investigation, Parker and Assoc. June 21, 2005 Phase II cultural resource investigation, Central Coast Archaeology, December 19, 2005

Exhibit B - Mitigation Summary Table

Cultural Resources

- CR-1. Prior to issuance of construction permits, the applicant shall submit a monitoring plan prepared by a subsurface qualified archaeologist (see attached list), for the review and approval of the Environmental Coordinator. The monitoring plan shall include:
 - a. List of personnel involved in the monitoring activities (i.e. who will perform the monitoring);
 - b. Description of how the monitoring shall occur (i.e. during first ground disturbing activities);
 - c. Description of frequency of monitoring (e.g. part time or just during initial excavating activities);
 - d. Description of what resources are expected to be encountered;
 - e. Description of circumstances that would result in the halting of work at the project site (e.g. What is considered "significant" archaeological resources?);
 - f. Description of procedures for halting work on the site and notification procedures;
 - g. Description of monitoring reporting procedures.
- CR-2 The monitor is required to be on site during the first ground disturbing activities (i.e. excavation for foundation (or footings). If the monitor finds no resources during these first ground disturbing activities, and finds that the project will not impact any resources, the monitor can leave the project site.





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